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SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: PENDING EXECUTION OF NANGOLO

REF: CAPE TOWN 850, CAPE TOWN 856

1 DEPARTMENT HAS CONTACTED BRITISH, CANADIAN,
FRENCH, AND GERMAN EMBASSIES HERE TO INFORM THEM
OF THE PENDING EXECUTION OF NANGOLO. WE TOLD THEM
THAT OUR AMBASSADOR IN CAPE TOWN HAD APPROACHED THE
SOUTH AFRICANS TO URGE ON POLITICAL GROUNDS THAT
EXECUTION NOT TAKE PLACE. SOUTH AFRICAN INITIAL
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RESPONSE WAS THAT BECAUSE CONVICTION WAS ON CRIMINAL
GROUNDS AND BECAUSE OF WHITE PUBLIC SENTIMENT, THEY
FEEL THEY MUST GO AHEAD WITH EXECUTION.

2. WE TOLD EMBASSIES THAT THE ELECTIONS COULD CAUSE
DIFFICULTY FOR THE WORK OF THE CONTACT GROUP, AND
SUGGESTED THAT IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE FOR ALL REPRE-

SENTATIVES OF THE CONTACT GROUP TO MAKE APPROACHES
SIMILAR TO OURS IN CAPE TOWN. THE EMBASSIES AGREED
WITH THE POSITION WE HAVE TAKEN AND SAID THEY WOULD
CONTACT THEIR HOME OFFICES REGARDING SUCH AN APPROACH
TO THE SOUTH AFRICANS.

3. ACTION ADDRESSEES SHOULD FOLLOW UP WITH FOREIGN
MINISTRIES, POINTING OUT URGENCY OF SITUATION GIVEN
FACT THAT EXECUTION MAY TAKE PLACE AS EARLY AS MAY 30.

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